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REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE

REDISTRIBUTION OF SEATS

The Parliamentary Constituencies (Bournemouth East and Christchurch and New Forest) Order 1964

Laid before Parliament in draft

Made - - - - 26*th February* 1964

Coming into Operation 11*th March* 1964

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 26th day of February 1964

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas in pursuance of section 2(3) of the House of Commons (Redistribution of Seats) Act 1949(**a**) the Boundary Commission for England have submitted to the Secretary of State a report dated 19th November 1963 with respect to the areas comprised in certain constituencies in England and showing the constituencies into which they recommend, in accordance with the provisions of the House of Commons (Redistribution of Seats) Acts 1949 and 1958(**b**), that the areas should be divided:

And whereas the Secretary of State has laid the said report before Parliament together with the draft of this Order in Council to give effect to recommendations contained in the report and each House of Parliament has by resolution approved the said draft:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 3 of the House of Commons (Redistribution of Seats) Act 1949, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. In lieu of the borough constituency of Bournemouth East and Christchurch described in Schedule I to the Representation of the People Act 1948(**c**) and the county constituency of New Forest described in Part II of the Schedule to the Parliamentary Constituencies (Hampshire) Order 1955(**d**) and specified in Part I of the Schedule to this Order there shall

(**a**) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 66. (**b**) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 66 and 6 & 7 Eliz. 2. c. 26.
(**c**) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 65. (**d**) S.I. 1955/11 (1955 II, p. 2128).

be substituted the borough and county constituencies described in Part II of the Schedule to this Order.

2. The electoral registration officers for the aforesaid constituencies shall make such re-arrangement or adaptation of the registers of parliamentary electors as may be necessary to give effect to this Order.

3.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Parliamentary Constituencies (Bournemouth East and Christchurch and New Forest) Order 1964.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(a) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(3) This Order shall come into operation on the fourteenth day after the day on which it is made:

Provided that the coming into operation of this Order shall not affect any parliamentary election until a proclamation is issued by Her Majesty summoning a new Parliament or affect the constitution of the House of Commons until the dissolution of the Parliament in being on the day on which this Order comes into operation.

W. G. Agnew.

SCHEDULE

HAMPSHIRE

PART I

Existing constituencies described in the case of Bournemouth East and Christchurch by reference to circumstances as they existed immediately before the end of the year 1947 *and in the case of New Forest by reference to circumstances as they existed on* 13*th May* 1954 *except for any subsequent accretion from the sea*

Name	County or Borough Constituency	Contents
Bournemouth East and Christchurch	Borough ...	The borough of Christchurch and the following wards of the county borough of Bournemouth, namely, Boscombe East, Boscombe West, King's Park, Queen's Park, Southbourne and West Southbourne.
New Forest ...	County ...	(i) The borough of Lymington; (ii) the rural district of Ringwood and Fordingbridge and the rural district of New Forest except the parishes of Eling and Netley Marsh.

(a) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

PART II

New constituencies described by reference to circumstances as they existed on 1*st November* 1963 (*being a date subsequent to the Hampshire* (*Borough of Christchurch and Rural District of Ringwood and Fordingbridge*) *Confirmation Order* 1961 *and the County Borough of Bournemouth* (*Wards*) *Order* 1962(a)) *except for any subsequent accretion from the sea whether occurring before or after the making of this Order*

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(a) S.I. 1962/408.